

IT WAS A SURPRISE.

President Withdraws the Treaty From the Senate.

Washington, March 9.—President Cleveland's first executive communication to the Senate of the United States came this afternoon and proved to be a surprise, not only to Republicans but to many Democrats as well. In the communication President Cleveland withdrew the treaty with Hawaii, which was sent to the Senate a few weeks ago by the President. The message was short, simply requesting the Senate to transmit to the executive the proposed treaty with Hawaii. The message was received without comment on the floor of the Senate.

It is understood that the reason for the withdrawal of the treaty by President Cleveland is because he is opposed to the treaty in its present form. Whether or not he will favor the making of another treaty, and whether it will be an annexation treaty or not, can not be said on authority at this time, but a gentleman who has talked with the President on the subject said this afternoon that another treaty would be made.

It is intimated that the President will suggest either by message or personally to the Senate that a committee be appointed to visit the Hawaiian Islands this year during the interval between the adjournment of the special Senate and the reconvening of the next Congress. Mr. Cleveland heretofore has been quite solicitous on this point, and made inquiries as to whether or not the resolution providing for such a commission had gone through. He had been apparently under the impression that it had been adopted. He learned that it had not been, but the Senate had authority alone to provide for such a commission, probably to consist of Senators, and that the contingent fund of the Senate could be drawn on for this purpose.

No Officeholders Need Apply.

Washington, March 9.—The fellows who had office under President Cleveland's first administration, and who are candidates again, might as well save time, wind and money, for the edict has gone forth from the White House that new blood will be instilled into this administration. President Cleveland has indicated in many ways since his election that he will not reward the office-holders for their efforts in bringing about his re-nomination. He believes that there are just as good fish in the sea as ever were caught, and being something of an expert in angling is going to cast his line for a new and fresh catch. In selecting his cabinet he steered clear of his former official family and chose new men, and he intends to pursue the same policy in filling the other offices. He says that if a man got along without office for four years he should be able to do without longer.

WHO WANTS IT.

The Capital Removal Question Before the Legislature Again.

Frankfort, Ky., March 9.—The members of the Joint Legislative Committee on Capitol Location met again this afternoon, and, under the resolution creating it, more than a year ago, selected five possible sites for State buildings. These sites are: Lexington, Louisville, Frankfort, Bowling Green and Danville. The authorities and people of each of these cities are invited to communicate with the committee what, if any, inducements they do and will offer for the location of the Capital within, or near their corporate limits. Lexington is the first on hand, and has invited the committee to visit Lexington next Tuesday to meet a committee of citizens who wish to submit propositions to them. It is supposed that Louisville and the other cities selected as eligible places, will follow suit, and that the same old fight will be waged for the last time, with the same result.

The only feature of the whole proceeding which disturbs the Frankfort property holders and which makes it possible that a removal may be made is this: Under the new Constitution a sum of \$1,500,000 is to be paid out of the State treasury for the purpose of removing the Capital to the new site. This sum has never been used for the purpose voted, and which, good lawyers say, is still available as an annuement to the State to remove the Capital to that city.

Hill Calls on Grover.

Washington, March 9.—The one great feature of interest in political circles today is the visit of Senator David B. Hill to his great political rival, President Cleveland. Senator Hill came to the White House this morning by appointment, presumably arranged by Congress Rockwell, of New York, during his visit to Mr. Cleveland on Tuesday. That his visit was more than a mere perfunctory call is attested by the length of the interview. It lasted twenty minutes and during that time Mr. Cleveland received no cards from the waiting politicians in the Cabinet room.

JUST BACK FROM THE EAST AND ANXIOUS TO DO BUSINESS.

With the opening of spring-time we feel it our duty to let our numerous customers know that they have not been forgotten. But we have given the wants of the Ladies and Girls, as well as the Men and the Boys, a great deal of thought, and know that we do not exaggerate when we say that our stock of

Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Notions

is complete in every sense of the word.

To the Ladies We Say:

Before buying Dress Goods and Trimmings see what we have, as we have all the latest shades and qualities, and prices are such that they will suit. We have also a line of Ladies Spring Wraps, such as Blazers, etc.

We Can Prove to You:

That our stock of Mens and Boys Clothing was never as large and we can show you an assortment of over \$10,000.00 worth of clothing. Our nobby hats for Men and Boys, and shoes for Ladies as well as Men cannot be compared with, both in quality and price.

Remember we buy for cash only in large quantities and it stands to reason we can undersell others. We expect to make this

OUR BANNER YEAR,

and know our low prices are bound to win.

Come in and See and We will Prove our Assertions.

REMEMBER OUR MOTTO IS:

"Best and More Goods for the Least Money."

Pierce, Yandell, Gugenheim Co.

Red Front.

WILL SAVE ALL.

Every Dollar of Gov. McKinley's Indebtedness Will Be Wiped Out and No Security Accepted.

Youngstown, O., March 8.—"The home and property of Governor McKinley will not be sacrificed and Mrs. McKinley's property will not be sacrificed to relieve the financial embarrassment of the Governor. Walker," said a capitalist today who has taken an active part in arranging the affairs of Governor McKinley.

"All the money needed has been raised by personal friends of the Governor, and every note on which he is indebted will be paid in full and the entire indebtedness of Governor McKinley of every description will be canceled."

"What about the property turned over by the Governor and Mrs. McKinley in trust for the creditors?"

"When the plan we have adopted is entirely carried out there will be no creditors of Governor McKinley. The funds contributed are from personal friends, who are glad of the opportunity offered by assisting. When every debt is canceled by its payment the property of the Governor and his estimable wife, will be presented to them free of any lien, debt or incumbrance, and he will be in the same condition financially that he was prior to having signed any of the Walker papers. No will neither ask nor accept a dollar of security for the money advanced to the Governor."

RICHARD CROKER,



LEADER OF TAMMANY HALL.

Richard Croker, known all over the country as leader of Tammany Hall, that mighty and powerful political organization, which has the Empire City in its grip. He is descended from an old Irish family, whose name is found in "Burke's Landed Gentry." His grandfather was Major Henry Croker, of Martinstown, Ireland, and one of his relatives was governor of Bermuda. Mr. Croker was only three years old when he landed in New York with his parents and six brothers and sisters. He attended the public schools until his fifteenth year, when he entered the machine shop of the New York Central Railroad, learning the trade of machinist and engineer. He became very active in politics and was elected an alderman in 1867, when only 24 years old. He was in the board in 1870, when Tweed legislated all the aldermen out of office, because he could not control them. Mr. Croker was one of the young Democrats who were fighting Tweed. Upon John Kelly's reorganization of Tammany Hall, Richard Croker became one of his lieutenants and on his death in 1886, he became his successor in the leadership. Mr. Croker is respected and esteemed by men of all parties, which is more than is said of the average politician; he is trusted everywhere and he has never been known to state an untruth, or to go back upon his word. Mr. Croker is now forty-six years old, is married and has a family of six children.

GOLD IN CHICAGO.

Twenty Millions Said to be Stored in Bank Vaults.

Chicago, March 9.—The report of an offer of half a million dollars in gold to the Federal Treasury from Chicago is probably based on the fact that the First National Bank was short of \$5 and \$10 currency, and telegraphed the Treasury that it would exchange \$500,000 in gold for bills of that denomination. By this transaction the bank saves the express charges of seventy-five cents per \$1,000 for the transportation of the currency. Chicago banks, it is said, have at least \$20,000,000 in gold in their vaults. One bank has for years carried its reserve, about \$6,000,000, in gold, sealed with the Bank Examiner's seal, and unbroken for years past.

One hundred and fourteen million dollars in gold certificates are out. Of this enormous sum only \$20,000,000 worth, according to Treasury experts, is in actual circulation. The rest is hoarded.

TO CUT EXPENSES.

Grover Has Sent Out the Edict to Reduce Clerical Forces Wherever Practicable.

Washington, March 11.—"Retrenchment and reform" is the watchword of this administration. President Cleveland has informed the members of his Cabinet that there must be a reduction in the force of employees in all of the departments where the public service will not be crippled.

The ax will not be used in one particular division, but will take in all from high-salaried clerks down to charwomen. The President says the running expenses of the government are entirely too great, and he intends cutting right and left until he reduces the force of employees to the minimum. In the meantime no new appointments will be made, and those seeking subordinate places in the various departments might as well stay at home until after the quillotine ceases operations. Just before Secretary Foster went out of office he discharged eighteen clerks in the redemption division and ten more are expected to be discharged next week. Other divisions will suffer similar cuts. Secretary Carlisle was kept busy this morning receiving visitors from all parts of the country.

THE GOVERNMENT FIGURES.

Quantity of Wheat on Hand Aggregates 135,000,000 Bushels.

Washington, March 10.—The estimated proportion of wheat on hand, according to the March crop report of the Department of Agriculture, is 26.2 per cent. of the last crop, the smallest per centage in ten years. The quantity on hand aggregates 135,000,000 bushels, 36,000,000 bushels less than last March and 23,000,000 more than the remnant of the very small crop of 1890. A very large proportion is found in States that do not spare a bushel for commercial distribution; only 34,000,000 in the principal spring wheat States, more than half of which is required for seed in the spring. Of the winter wheat States, only Kansas and California have any considerable surplus available for commercial distribution.

The amount of wheat exported in twelve months is 191,000,000 bushels; required for consumption, 300,000,000 seed used, 54,000,000; visible stocks, 79,000,000; a total of 624,000,000, against an apparent supply of 729,000,000 bushels. There is, therefore, an apparent excess of distribution from the last two crops of 31,000,000 bush-

els as compared with previous estimates, showing, if present estimates are correct, which can not be positively assured, that the crops of 1891 and 1892 were underestimated by 2 or 3 per cent., which would be a very close margin on the safe side. Very little old wheat is reported on hand. The average weight of the crop a measured bushel as calculated from returns of millers and State agents and correspondents is 57.5 pounds, reducing the estimated product to 494,000,000 commercial bushels.

The corn on hand, as estimated, aggregates 626,847,370 bushels, or 38.5 per cent. of the last product. This proportion has been exceeded in March four times in the last ten years, and the quantity has been exceeded five times. The consumption of eight months, 1,001,616,030 bushels, only exceeds that following the smaller crops of 1887 and 1890. The aggregate sold from farms to go beyond county lines is 277,379,000 bushels, or 17 per cent. of the crop. The proportion merchantable is 1,345,445,000, or 82.6 per cent. The values returned for merchantable corn average 49.2 cents, for unmerchantable 27.7 cents, making an aggregate of \$655,000,000, which exceeds the December valuation

by \$12,000,000, averaging 40 cents a bushel.

The crop report for March relates to the distribution of corn and wheat and the stocks remaining on farms. It is not a census of individual holdings of growers, but is based on county estimates of the percentage of last year's product remaining made by a board of correspondents in each county, and also by an independent board reporting to the State agent. All grain, including any surplus of previous years is included. These separate results are scrutinized, obvious errors and inconsistencies corrected, differences harmonized and ultimate statements tabulated by States to show both percentages and aggregate quantities.

A colored preacher in Georgia has given an order for a pair of shoes of the following dimensions: Twenty one inches long, seven and one-fourth inches broad and nineteen and one-half inches round the instep. This celebrated divine will no doubt be able to stamp a good deal of evil from his congregation.—Ex.

The Tennessee House of Representatives removed its speaker and elected another.

PENSION REFORM.

The Initiative Taken by the Old Soldiers of New York.

New York, March 9.—A movement against the existing pension laws has been started among the old soldiers of this city. Last night Noah L. Farnham Post G. A. R. after a lengthy debate on the present pension system, adopted resolutions setting forth that the only veterans entitled to pensions are those who, by reason of wounds or disabilities incurred in the service of the country, are prevented from earning a living, and whose circumstances justify them in calling upon the country for support, and declaring that any old soldier or sailor who applies for or accepts a pension under these conditions is guilty of conduct calculated to injure the good men who are willing to give their lives for their country without any reward save the approval of their own conscience and that honorable fame that is due to every patriot.

It was also resolved that a copy of the resolutions be sent to the President of the United States, to the United States Senators from this State and the Representatives in Congress from this

city, and all posts in the G. A. R. were requested to take similar action.

Resolutions having a like purpose will be offered in the Union League to-night, and during the week other organizations will follow suit.

FIVE DROWNED.

A Mother and Five Children Swept Away While Trying to Cross a Swollen Stream.

Chattanooga, Tenn., March 9.—A special to the Times from Rome, Ga., says: "About noon today Mrs. Ed. Woods and four children attempted to cross Cedar creek at Glenin's ford and were drowned. The creek was greatly swollen from recent rains and the wagon, which was driven by a negro boy, turned over and drifted down the stream a distance of several yards. Late this afternoon two bodies were found a mile and a half from the ford. To-day a large crowd are looking for the other bodies. The team was drowned but the negro driver made his escape by swimming."

Emmet Dalton, a member of the famous gang of outlaws, who made a raid upon the bank at Coffeyville, Kas., has been sentenced to the penitentiary for life.

\$42.68 FOR \$1.25.

Geo. H. Crider, of this place,

Received through Jno. H. Morse, resident agent of the American Accident Company, of Louisville, \$42.86 for injuries received from a fall while insured under a ticket that cost \$1.25.

MORSE Always Gives the Best Value for the Money of any Merchant in Marion.

GO TO HIM WHEN YOU WANT A

SUIT OF CLOTHES, DRESS PATTERN, HAT, SHOES or FURNISHING GOODS.

He has a large stock which he has bought as cheap as the money will buy them, and as he has no partners to divide up profits with he certainly can sell them as cheap as any body else, and if you don't believe you can save money by trading with him, just go down to Gray's old stand on the corner and see for yourselves. He is prepared to meet any prices in any retail market.

The Crittenden Press

ISSUED WEEKLY.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

Gresham's appointees so far have all been rock-ribbed Democrats. He is going to make a good Democrat after all.

According to reports, the postmaster hereafter must, in offices that pay a salary sufficient to support a man of moderate tastes and economic habits, engage in no other business. He must be postmaster and nothing else.

It is authoritatively stated that those who held office under Mr. Cleveland four years ago need not apply for pie this time. Grover proposes to give the other boys a taste this time. He is going to make more politicians and workers.

The Kentucky House of Representatives hereafter passed a bill appropriating \$10,000 to prevent the advent of cholera in the State. If, with all the favorable circumstances for nourishing the plague, the money keeps it out and away from us this summer, the money will have been judiciously expended.

President Cleveland, it is thought, thinks of sending a non-partisan commission to Hawaii to investigate the condition of affairs concerning the annexation movement. He will find that it is the Americans who are handling affairs there, who are the prime instigators of the annexation movement.

Secretary of the Treasury Carlisle has received numerous offers from numerous banking institutions to exchange gold for treasury notes. If the country has as much confidence in all departments of the new administration, as expressed in that over which the great Kentuckian presides, the country has as much confidence in itself as it did when the declaration of independence was adopted.

Mr. Cleveland has announced another departure; he proposes to ignore the editors in his distribution of the offices. The newspaper men are to have no pie. This is pretty rough on the knights of the quill, but it is rougher on their delinquent subscribers. In anticipation of a foreign mission, a gauger-storekeeper job or an eighteen by twenty postoffice, we were arranging to carry a few delinquents over another year; but the thing will not work, and you fellows who are behind on the books, will have to pay up, or call on Grover to change his tactics in handling the editors. Which will be, boys? We pause for a reply.

Our neighbor, the Monitor, appears to be very much irritated because the present Master Commissioner does not send in his resignation and give Judge Pratt an opportunity to appoint another. In connection with the matter a "high sense of honor, high self regard, courtesy and noble example" are mentioned. Words are silver, but silent action is golden. If the Monitor really desires to follow what it calls a noble example, and imitate the other delicate things mentioned, it should have one of its editors resign a fat Federal office he now holds. If the Master Commissioner has a note in his eye, as the Monitor indicates, what is the size of the beam in the aforesaid editor's eye? The Master Commissioner was appointed for a certain term, the aforesaid editor was appointed for a certain term; if the editor is to hold on until his term expires, why not the Master Commissioner? The one, we believe, is as competent in his office, as the other in his. Now if the Monitor will take a dose of the medicine it prescribes for others, its system, according to its own notions of the amenities of politics, will be in a better condition to deliver effective lectures upon the "noble" in man, and the beautiful in nature.

FAMILY BROILS.

Result in the Indictment of Revenue Officials.

Louisville, Ky., March 10.—Quite a stir was caused here today by the Federal Grand Jury bringing in indictments against Collector of Internal Revenue Albert A. Scott, his Chief Deputy, W. E. Riley, and Special Store-keeper Shaw. There are two indictments against Collector Scott, one for violation of the Civil Service law and includes seven counts. The other is on twelve counts and is for swearing falsely to the pay rolls. It is claimed that A. S. Cagle, E. B. Azors, Thomas M. Brooks, J. W. Kerrick and John E. Murrell, all Store-keepers, did not work on April 28 and 29, yet they were paid for their services. Collector Scott knew they had not worked on those days. Yet he signed the voucher for the pay. By such action it is claimed that he was a party to defrauding the United States Government out of money. Deputy Riley and Store-keeper Shaw are indicted for violation of the Civil Service laws in receiving money from Gaugers and Store-keepers for campaign purposes. Mr. Riley has nine counts against him and Mr. Shaw five. The indictments are the upshot of the ill-feeling between the factions of the Republican party headed respectively by Collector Scott and District Attorney Jolly. Scott has rather got the best of the fight in the party councils, and Jolly is supposed to be getting even. Before the late election he attempted to have the same men indicted, but failed, because, according to his statement, the Gaugers and Store-keepers were afraid to testify. Now, as the Democrats will soon go in any how, the men felt more independent, and the indictments are the result.

GENERAL NEWS NOTES.

Near Rolling Fork, Miss., a negro mob hung a negro murderer.

An earthquake shock was felt in New Jersey Thursday.

President Cleveland has agreed to formally open the World's Fair.

At McNary, Ky., Ben Randolph was shot and killed by Silas Tynon, Sunday.

Ex-Gov. Isaac P. Gray of Indiana, has been appointed minister to Mexico. The salary is \$17,500.

The Kansas Legislature adjourned Saturday. The Australian ballot system has been adopted in that State.

Thirteen convicts escaped from the guards near Tracy City, Tenn. They are being hunted with blood hounds.

The Washington legislature adjourned without electing a United States Senator. The governor will appoint.

The appropriation of the late Congress aggregated \$1,026,822,094 or \$8,862,872 less than the previous Congress.

At Quincy, Mass., Joseph Massey shot and killed his sweetheart, and then killed himself. The girl had refused to marry him.

In a court room at Nashville Monday, Tom Jones shot and fatally wounded Joe Winters, who was in trial for assassinating Jones' father. A bystander was fatally wounded by the bullet.

The Tennessee Legislative investigation committee reports a fearful condition of affairs among the convicts at Coal Creek. They are in the most diseased and filthy condition and many of them are so poorly fed that they are starving to death.

Secretary Culp, of the World's Fair Committee on Ceremonies, has set apart September 2, as "Catholic Education Day." Festival Hall has been engaged for a celebration from 9 a. m. until noon. The ceremonies will be carried out under the direction of Bishop Spalding.

The women of Russia have prepared and exhibited at Moscow an exhibit of lace and embroidery intended for the World's Fair. It is believed that through this instrumentality there will be opened a new market for Russian lace, much of which is said to be ex-

ceedingly fine and inexpensive. Another feature of the large and varied exhibit will be a medical and hospital exhibit showing the progress made by Russian women in the practice of medicine and surgery. There are over 1,000 women physicians registered in Russia.

Miss Rose Elizabeth Cleveland, the sister of Grover Cleveland, who added so much luster to the first term of the great Democratic leader, is now in Europe. Last summer she was met walking on a road in Switzerland by Colonel Dan Lamont, who was making the tour. Miss Rose was in great demand in literary circles while her brother was President, but owing to her strong will and advanced ideas she was not financially successful. She has a strong penchant for missionary work, and like her distinguished brother, is yearning constantly to reform things. She has kept to herself since her brother's marriage, but she promises to return to the United States and brighten the White House with her presence some time during the coming year. Miss Rose is very popular in Washington circles.

FREDONIA.

Rev. Jasper Wells filled Rev. B. A. Brandon's appointment here Sunday as Rev. Brandon was conducting the funeral services of Mrs. Louis Clifton of Dycusburg who was buried that day.

A large crowd of the citizens of this place and Kelsey went to Princeton Tuesday in response to an invitation extended to them last week by the deputy sheriff. If a great many were actually as ignorant as they pretend to be, when before the grand jury, they should be taken to the asylum.

F. W. Bice has the most complete stock of wall-paper ever brought to the town. Any one needing anything in that line will save money to call on him, and make selections before purchasing elsewhere.

Mrs. P. P. Baker died last Sunday evening after several days severe suffering.

A son of Sam White, (colored), died Sunday evening.

Rev. B. A. Brandon filled his regular appointment here Sunday night.

A. S. Threlkeld has a full stock of everything in the blacksmith's line, bolts, rivets, lap-linches, clivises, single and double trees, hooks, stay chains, coulters, rings clips, etc. Repairing of all kinds done, plows stocked, wagon wheels refilled, harrows, wagon and buggy beds made to order, plows laid or sharpened. In fact everything made or repaired in my line, give me a call and get your money's worth.

A. S. Threlkeld, Kelsey, Ky.

Now is the time to clean up your premises and have your rooms papered. F. W. Bice will furnish the best of paper and put it on at a price that will please any one; give him your orders.

I have just returned from market where I bought everything new and fresh of the latest styles and patterns and will sell them at rock bottom prices. Don't fail to see me before making your spring purchases I will save you money.

S. R. Cassidy.

Cassidy has a fine line of neckwear of the latest styles.

We sell for cash, and run at a very small expense, therefore can sell you goods for less profit than you can buy them anywhere. S. R. Cassidy.

Best prints 5c per yard at Cassidy's. Ladies shoes 75c to \$4 at Cassidy's. Men's shoes 75c to \$5 at Cassidy's.

Howerton will be prepared to fix you up in anything to wear this season. It is no use talking he is doing the business.

Howerton is making money. Howerton is paying money. Howerton is selling for money.

Don't think the man that is always selling at cost is the best man to buy from. He would not do this if his goods did not cost him too much. Too many men buy on credit and pay too much and then the merchants advertise to sell at cost, to try to meet their bills. The result is, you who buy from them,

get old goods, at old prices, and are humbugged year in, and year out, and finally you fail, and your merchant fails. Try buying new goods, guaranteed to be as represented and from 10 to 25 cents less money, bought for the money and sold for the money by your trade.

Sam Howerton.

Ask to see men's fine shoes \$1.00 to \$5.00 per pair at Sam Howerton's.

We will show a large stock of clothing this season. Sam Howerton.

We guarantee to undersell any competitors and to give you the best goods for the least money.

Sam Howerton.

Remember we run our business on less than 50c per day expenses.

Sam Howerton.

Call on J. T. Woolf, Kelsey, Ky., for seeds.

If you want barbed or smooth wire call on Woolf.

If you want corn drills call on J. T. Woolf.

Those Steel Beauty corn planters at Woolf is what every farmer should have.

Stoves at prices to suit everybody at Woolf.

SHADY GROVE.

The roads are thick and drying fast.

Sam Pendergrass is in luck, it's a boy.

Prof. O. W. Woodhall ended his second term in music here Saturday night and his next term will begin the 20 of this month.

Mrs. Tilda Nash, died the 9th; her remains were entored at the Shady Grove cemetery the 10th, a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Dr. J. N. Todd left for Marion Monday.

Rev. E. M. Gibbons preached here Sunday.

J. B. Hubbard is visiting friends in Marion today.

Hon. S. O. Nunn has been among us and he seems to catch the boys on every side; success to him in all his undertakings.

J. H. and D. J. Hubbard are still "in it," they lead, others will have to follow.

Jones Bros left Wednesday for their new home in Livingston county.

David E. Williams, of Clayville was here last week, and rented him a house and lot; he will soon be among us and one of us.

Clyde Hubbard of Tunica, Miss., is here visiting his friends and relatives.

S. C. Towery and S. A. Frazier, spent Monday in Princeton.

J. H. Hubbard leaves this morning for Evansville.

Cleveland is doing the work of an Evangelist, and will give honor to his country.

CRAYNEVILLE.

Crayneville is improving; new blacksmith and wood shop, and Crayne & Dobbs are ready to do your work.

J. P. Deboe is building a handsome sleeping apartment joining his store.

P. H. Woods will erect nice porches at both ends of his new store house which will add very much to the comfort of the Crayneville lafairs.

Misses Maud Taber, Kathie and Lavin Woods are on the sick list.

Dr. Russell is going day and night attending the sick.

Prayer meeting every Friday night and preaching once a month at this place.

Cumberland's will build a new church here this spring.

Our Main street is dry and agreeable to walk upon.

Mrs. Cynthia Deboe is here; she is 86 years old, and is in poor health.

Business improving with the weather.

P. H. Woods desires to say to the farmers and the country at large, that he has a larger stock of goods than he has heretofore had and is well prepared to serve their wants, in dry goods,

notions, boots and shoes, groceries, hardware, tinware, hats, clothing. If you want fence wire call on Woods; he is headquarters for tobacco cotton.

Bring your eggs, chickens, rugs, bacon, lard, molasses and money, I take them all, and give in return as much goods as anybody. I will pay the highest market prices for your produce. I ask you to call and see me in the big store known as the Cruce Bros house.

P. H. Woods.

Let me thank those who have stood by me for three years past and so liberally gave me their patronage. I expect to continue here for some years to come and I shall do my part towards helping to build up the neighborhood and trust you will continue to give me a liberal share of your trade.

Your friend,

P. H. Woods.

DYCUSBURG.

Carton Glenn was in Kelsey Monday.

P. K. Cooksey made a business trip to Nashville last week.

Billie Charles and family were visiting the family of G. W. Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Lula Cassidy, who has been seriously ill, is recovering.

Little Nonie, daughter of Henry Kotham, is very sick.

Prewitt sold \$250 worth of hardware last week.

A very sad death occurred in our town Saturday. Mrs. Minnie Clifton, wife of Lewis Clifton, and daughter of Mrs. A. C. Crouch, passed away. She was a woman greatly loved by friends and universally admired by acquaintances. Her genial, sunny nature, warm generous heart, spirit and tender ways and blithesome gent and pure life made her a universal favorite, and many were the bitter tears shed around her grave, and not a heart in the community is without the profoundest sympathy for the bereaved husband.

Death lies on her like an untimely frost Upon the sweetest flower of all the field.

LEVIAS.

Farmers are merry at last—spring is here.

Mosses Robt Hardy and Bud Moore were in our burg Tuesday.

W. J. LaRue returned from Hopkinsville Tuesday.

Miss Lake Summers is dangerously ill with the fever.

Come and see us for your dry goods, groceries, clothing, shoes, hats, gear-

ing, etc. Will pay you to get our prices and examine our goods. Cash or produce only will get them; and remember too we give you the highest market price for your produce.

LaRue Bros.

Rev G S Summers preached at Union last Sunday instead of Rev. Blackburn.

A fifteen year old son of J. G. Shreeves was buried at Union Saturday. He died of spinal meningitis.

R. A. LaRue went to Evansville last week to purchase goods for LaRue Bros, new store.

Quite a number attended the lectures at Marion from this section this week.

Wanted, a first class milliner and dress-maker for Levias. We think it an excellent opening for such a business.

Bible class and Sunday school at Union every Sunday evening at three o'clock.

Deeds Recorded.

E. C. Haynes to M. Gahagan, house and lot for \$100.

W. F. Harmon to L. C. Terry 100 acres for \$100.

J. M. McGee to D. E. Boister, 584 acres \$375.

Harriet D. Towery to J. N. Towery 314 acres for \$300.

T. S. Neal to J. A. Guess, 100 acres \$1,575.

Lee Litchfield to R. L. Phillips 26 acres for \$160.

Letter List.

Mrs. Cisey, N. C. Dollar, W. L. Elmer, F. B. Fissinger & Co., Joney Farris, O. T. Gregory, Lottie Hart, Thos. Hawkins, W. L. Harris, Cissy F. Huston, Andy Hill, Ettie Simmons, Amey Smith, Mrs. L. Sins, J. B. Stephenson, Annie Turley, Henry Thicken, Amanda Vernon, Florence Walker, J. D. Walker, Emma Walker, Bell Wilson, Joey Young, J. O. Hill, Nick Hill, Mary Judkins, M. C. Johnson, Mrs. H. A. King, Jno. T. Ladd, J. L. Merry, C. W. Moorman, Claude Mecke, I. A. Paris, M. F. Pogue, Belle Parmenter, Lina Pond, Alice Rushing, Alice Stewart. If the above letters are not called for in 30 days, they will be sent to the dead letter office.

R. COFFIELD, P. M.

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Go see the big stock of hardware at

Pierce & Son.

If you want to save your "pants," go to

Pierce & Son.

SELLING.

Groceries At Cost.

In order to engage more extensively in dry goods, clothing, notions, furnishing goods, and millinery, I will from now until the first of April, close out my entire stock of groceries, tin and stoneware at cost. Price list below will convince you:

First class corn and tomatoes 10c

Pine apples, per can 15c

Canned apples, 3 pound can 8c

" peaches, white heat 18c

Royal Baking Powder 1/2 lb can 8c

Crystal Cream " 5c

Potash per can " 9c

Oysters, one pound can 8c

Potted ham 8c

Mustard sardines per box 10c

American " 7c

Salmon per can 12c

Prepared mustard per bottle 5c

Bluing per bottle 4c

Maple syrup per pint 12c

" per quart 25c

Pepper sauce per bottle 7c

Table " 8c

Shoe polish " 8c

Flavoring extracts per bottle 7c

Machine oil " 3c

Starch per package 4c

Bird seeds 8c

Coffee mills 40c

Grandpa soap 7c

Ten spoons per set 4c

Stoneware per gallon 8c

Tinware at low-down prices 7c

Candles per pound 7c

Corn flour per package 9c

Lamp chimneys from 4 to 4c

Beans and hominy per pound 4c

Pepper per pound 15c

Spice per pound 15c

Tea per pound 35c

Raisins-per pound 12c

Pint bottles pickles 9c

WE MEAN WHAT WE SAY.

Avail yourselves of these bargains. The rush is right now on. These goods are going awful fast. And all will soon be gone. Of course you know who I am, I am old Cheap John—or rather Yours etc., J. W. SKELTON.



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LOCAL NEWS.

FORTH FOR THE LEGISLATURE

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. SKELTON as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next general assembly at Kentucky. He is subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce H. T. FLANARY as a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

FOR THE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce S. O. NUNN as a candidate for the State Senate in the district composed of the counties of Crittenden, Caldwell and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce P. C. STEPHENS as a candidate for the State Senate in the Fourth Senatorial District, composed of the counties of Caldwell, Crittenden and Webster, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

LOCAL GOSSIP.

Clover seed at Schwab's. Town lots for sale by R. C. Walker. Lime 90 cents per barrel at Schwab's. Go to Crider & Guess for bargains. Tolu, Ky.

Four good work horses for sale. M. Schwab. Out seed, early rose Irish potatoes at Schwab's. Pure country land for sale at Schwab's.

Knives and forks 45 cents per set, at Schwab. Clover seed 89 per bushel at Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky. Flour \$2.90 cents per barrel at Schwab's.

Coal oil 10 and 15 cents per gallon. M. Schwab. Sour kraut and pickles; I have the best made. Schwab. Paints and oils in any quantity at Moore & Orme's drug store.

Try our White Star Flour. Crider & Guess, Tolu. If you want big bargains go to Crider & Guess, Tolu, Ky. Crider & Guess have the largest stock of clothing ever brought to Tolu.

Those lace and veils at Mrs. F. W. Lovings are lovely. Take your eggs to Crider & Guess and get 104 cents per dozen for them. Crider & Guess will sell you goods cheaper than any house in Tolu. Try them.

Where do you buy your groceries from J. W. Johnson; he sells better groceries. I have for sale, two road wagons; one spring wagon; one buggy. M. Schwab.

I have never advanced on Arbuckle coffee. Have sold at 26 cents and will continue to do so. M. Schwab. 18 pounds granulated sugar for \$1; 44 pounds best coffee for \$1. M. Schwab.

Ready mixed paint; formerly \$1.50 per gallon, can be found at Moore & Orme's drug store for \$1.15. I want 100 bushels of late Irish potatoes. Bring them in get the cash. M. Schwab.

Two tons of Collier's best white lead, and the best oils on the market at Moore & Orme's drug store, Marion. Walker & Olive, the furniture dealers and undertakers, have purchased a fine hearse.

Get your window shades at Walker & Olive's. They have a big stock and great variety. Paint! paint, ready mixed chemical pure, one dollar and fifteen cents per gallon, can be found only at Moore & Orme, druggists.

Baby buggies at Walker & Olive's. A large line to select from. Prices low. Call and see our pretty line. Walker & Olive.

J. W. Johnson has a Brabury patching machine. Boing your shoes that needs repairing and have them fixed at a small cost. I have plenty of dried fruit and beans, bought long before the advance and will sell cheaper than others can buy to-day. M. Schwab.

Canned goods, the best brand, bought before the advance, in case lots will give special prices. Schwab. We have two houses overflowing with goods. I will sell them regardless of price for the next 30 days. M. Schwab.

I still have 25 gallons of the very best home made sorghum, which I will sell in lots of 5 gallons and over at 30 cts. per gallon; in less quantities at 35 cts. per gallon. Schwab. Tan-gal-oon.

is the name of the best writing pen on the market. All sizes and shapes. For sale at R. C. Walker's book store.

No school house yet.

There are no schools in Marion yet. The village street lamp has played out.

The bottom of the roads is at last being located.

Friday Mr. W. A. Woodall qualified as deputy sheriff.

City Marshal Wilborn has his eye on the West.

The graveyard question appears to be still unsettled.

Nice lot of neckware at Doboe's at Crayneville for cents.

Mr. Jas. Wheeler will move from Marion to Clay Saturday.

The wife of Wm. Gray, of Livingston county, died a few days ago.

S. B. Johnson moved from Dycusburg to Marion Monday.

The Board of Health should be heartily endorsed by everybody.

Best roasted coffee at Doboe's at Crayneville for 25c per pound.

There is going to be some tobacco raised in Crittenden this year.

Mr. Henry Hodge, of Livingston county, was in town yesterday.

The Sheriff and his deputies are hustling getting ready for court.

W. P. Champion and wife joined the Presbyterian church Sunday.

Justice of the Peace Morgan's regular term of court will convene March 31.

Mr. W. J. L. Hughes has rented the E. E. Thurman farm near Marion.

Mrs. Murphy, of this place, has been very ill several days with erysipelas.

Ex-Sheriff Cruce may go West if he succeeds in collecting the taxes due him.

Mr. J. N. Woods was at his store Monday for the first time in seven weeks.

Will the Mott case be disposed of at the coming term of Circuit Court? Hardly.

See those 25c suspenders at Doboe's. He is selling them at 10c, at Crayneville.

Mr. A. M. Straub went to Ohio a few days ago; he is expected back in a few days.

The Ford's Ferry bridge question will be discussed by the commissioners on the 28th.

An auctioneer and patent medicine man entertained the people on the streets Monday.

Go to Doboe at Crayneville for groceries, flour, provisions, etc., at rock bottom prices.

Skelton is offering the best bargains we ever heard of in groceries. Read his "ad" in this issue.

Frank Wheeler has contracted with George Boston to build a handsome residence on Belleville street.

Mr. Jas. Gray and wife, prominent people of Livingston county, are reported dangerously ill.

The fine saddle horse of Mr. Jas. Baker, Black Prince, will be located at A. H. Cardin's this spring.

Attorney L. H. James is in Morganfield this week. He is employed by the defense in the Thomas case.

WANTED:—A woman to do household work. Will pay good wages. Mrs. R. C. WALKER, Marion, Ky.

Doboe at Crayneville is the place to get all kinds of dress goods, calicos, gingham, worsted latest styles at lowest prices.

Mrs. J. W. Blue has been very ill for several days. Her daughters, Miss Nonie, and Mrs. Annie Krause, of St. Louis, are with her.

Mr. M. C. O'Hara has purchased a very fine jack, paying \$400 for him. He is 14 hands high, jet black with white pointers, and is four years old.

FOR SALE—My house and lot at Hampton. Will sell very cheap. J. N. ROBINSON, Blandville, Ky.

All of Mr. R. Coffield's family moved to Harrisburg, Ill., last week, except himself and Miss Lillie, and they continue to handle the mail at the much desired place—the postoffice.

If all the people who are talking of building there will be at least fifty new residences put up in Marion this spring and summer. Marion has not reached her majority by any means.

Dr. W. M. Carter, optician specialist, will be in Marion, Ky., at Dr. Swope's office, March 21 and 22. He will examine eyes for all errors of refraction, and adjust glasses; examination free.

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Miss Martha Linley, of Salem, came up Tuesday to enter her protest against locating the cemetery west of town. She has property adjoining the proposed site and thinks it would materially injure its price.

RE-ORGANIZED.

A New Democratic County Committee.

Pursuant to the call, the Democratic county committee convened Monday. Chairman Maxwell called the committee together and stated that the object of the meeting was to re-organize the committee. The letter of Mr. Walker, of Clinton, member of the State committee, designating the manner of re-organizing, was read. According to this each county organization was to be composed of a chairman, a secretary and one committee man from each voting precinct. The committee then proceeded to the selection of the committeemen, and the result was as follows:

Marion, No. 1, L. W. Cruce, Marion, No. 2, O. M. James, Marion, No. 3, R. I. Nunn, Marion, No. 4, P. K. Maxwell, Dycusburg, P. K. Cooksey, Union, Jeff Clement, Hurricane, No. 1, R. E. Flannery, Hurricane, No. 2, A. J. Bennett, Ford's Ferry, J. H. Wood, Bell's Mines, E. C. Moore, Piney, H. W. McKee.

Dr. R. L. Moore was unanimously chosen chairman of the county committee, Mr. P. S. Maxwell declining to serve any longer. The committee was very anxious to retain Mr. Maxwell as chairman, and a number of speeches were made urging him to accept the place, and assuring him of the high appreciation the committee had of his services.

R. C. Walker was chosen secretary. Each county committeeman was directed to organize a precinct committee, the committee to consist of four members besides the county committeeman of the precinct.

The county committee then adjourned to meet Monday, March 27th.

The Political Pot.

Monday was a pretty lively day in Marion; the candidates and embryo candidates seemed to have marching orders and they kept going all day. Early in the morning it was said that Messrs. Robt Wood and Geo. W. Johnson, both of Piney, were candidates for the Legislature. Along in the afternoon, it was the current report that each of the gentlemen named would not make the race, having surrendered their ambition in deference to Dr. J. N. Todd. The Doctor was seen and said that he would shortly announce for the House.

Violating Election Law.

Sam Watson must appear at the bar of the Circuit Court and answer three separate charges of violating the new election law. He executed a bond of \$150 last week to guarantee his attendance. One of the indictments is for "unlawfully disobeying the lawful commands of election officers in tearing down ropes," the other two are of similar import; all of which goes to show that it does not pay to "monkey" with the new election law.

The new revenue law requires the County Judge, Sheriff, all Justices of the Peace, Police Judge, Constables, Town Marshal and other officers having monies due the Commonwealth, to appear in open court on the first day of each Circuit Court, and file a report of all funds received since their last report. These officers must appear in open court on the first day of the term. We call the attention of the officers to the provisions of this law, so they may be on hand at the next Circuit Court.

Tuesday deputy sheriff T. M. Dyer, of Union county, was in town on business, and his business was to summon twenty-five men to go to Morganfield immediately. He is getting up a jury to try the Thomas murder case. Twenty-five men were summoned from Crittenden and twenty-five from Henderson county, and from the fifty an effort will be made to select the jury.

If we are not under the new charter, the first Saturday in April is the regular town election. According to the way matters stand now the board of trustees has exclusive control of saloon licenses, and this may throw a little life into the next city election. The present board is anti-saloon in its proclivities by a vote of 3 to 2.

Capt. A. B. Rankin, whose residence was destroyed by fire a few weeks ago, will build another. He was in town Monday. In his early days he was a professional flat boat pilot and captain, and his heart years for his old vocation, and he will take to the flat boat again.

Miss Woodard, an experienced dress maker, has located at Marion, and will work at Mrs. F. W. Lovings' millinery store. She does the very best work and knows all of the late styles, and fashions. She will appreciate your patronage.

Commonwealth Attorney Grayton was in Marion Thursday evening. It is rumored that he came to plead a case, not for the Commonwealth, but for himself, and the jury consisted not of twelve men, but a fairer and more capricious being.

About twenty young ladies and gentlemen, who are non-residents, are attending school. Rev. Price is very popular as a teacher. If Marion had a decent house, it would always be full of pupils.

CONSCIOUS AFTER DEATH.

Rev. Hall Tells of the Great Hereafter.

Rev. J. N. Hall, of Fulton, has been preaching to crowded houses at this place since Sunday. On account of the limited seating capacity of the Baptist church services have, since his first sermon, been held at the opera house. His sermons have been mainly on controverted points, and he has made strong presentations of the Baptist side of these questions. The sermon Sunday was not, however, along controverted points. On that occasion his subject was: "Is the soul conscious after the death of the body." The discourse was not along speculative lines, but was based upon what the Scriptures say upon this subject. The text was taken from the 3rd chapter of Peter, beginning at the 18th verse: "For Christ also hath once suffered for sins, the just for the unjust, that he might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but quickened by the Spirit. By which also he went and preached unto the spirits in prison; which sometime were disobedient, when once the long suffering of God waited in the days of Noah."

The preacher said the Spirit referred to in the 18th verse was the Holy Spirit; the third person in the Trinity—the energy of the Trinity on earth. The spirit referred to in the 19th verse was the spirit of man, and the prison was the body. Thus Christ through the divine energy of the Holy Spirit preached to the spirits of men while they were confined in the body or prison. God preached to them in the days of Noah; they heeded not the reproofs of the spirit, and consequently they are now in prison and there is no chance for an escape. Jude, referring to the people of Sodom and Gomorrah, tells of their sins, and says they are in everlasting chains and under darkness, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire. If the spirits of those people are now suffering, if they are now in prison, they must be conscious, or they would not know a prison from a palace. They are conscious; they are now in a condition of woe. Then think of the rich man and Lazarus. It matters not whether this is a parable or history. It serves the same purpose in either event. Both died and their spirits go to the spirit world; one to heaven, the other to hell. Then the spirit of the rich man lifts up its eyes, and sees afar off Lazarus in Abraham's bosom, and asks him: "Thou art in a better place than I am; have pity on me, and send me word to my brethren, that they may not come to this place of torment."

Abraham answers him: "I have pity on thee, but I cannot send thee word, for there is a great gulf between us and thee. They themselves must be persuaded. I have pity on thee, but I cannot send thee word, for there is a great gulf between us and thee. They themselves must be persuaded. I have pity on thee, but I cannot send thee word, for there is a great gulf between us and thee. They themselves must be persuaded."

So far as philosophy is concerned, it can tell nothing of the future condition of the spirit; it is God's word that we must take; it tells us the spirit is conscious after death. Abraham is conscious to things that had taken place since his death, showing none of his faculties had been lost, that while in the spirit world, he knew what was transpiring on earth. God determined that death at no time should impair his greatest workman. In the spirit world we will know intuitively. The rich man knew Abraham; nobody introduced them; he knew his nationality; Abraham knew the rich man, knew his condition in the world. This example, whether history or allegory, shows that spirits in the other world know what is going on in this. Then instead of standing over the graves of dead friends and weeping, we should feel joyful that they live on, that they have greater faculties of mind than we, that they are in a higher sphere, capable of greater things, more glorious things. Let us lift our voices for more faith and not weep.

Jesus said that the thief who truly repented should be with him in Paradise. Where is Paradise? Romans 2nd and 7th verse says it is where the tree of life is; then where is the tree of life? The 22nd chapter and 2nd verse says it is in the city of God. Then the city of God and Paradise are the same. In the 12th chapter of Corinthians we have the testimony of one who was in that Paradise. He gives us a brief description of it. He heard unspeakable words. Here again we have evidence that the spirits talk; to talk they must have minds, having minds they are conscious. Not only did Paul hear words, but unspeakable words—words that he could not communicate. Superior language, great and grand when compared to our silly utterances. Paul further says if our earthly house dissolve, we have a building made of God.

Death is only a transition from this world to the Paradise, the city of God. Our spirits break away from their prison, lose none of their faculties, but become greater.

Doboe at Crayneville for all kinds of shirting, cottonades, checks, brown and bleached domestic.

A REPENTANT PRISONER.

Goldworthy, the Blind Tiger Pet, a Sworn Teetotaler.

Saturday Judge Moore received a letter from Mr. W. A. Goldworthy, one of our blind tiger pets, who is serving out his time, \$100 fine, in jail, and the tenor of the epistle is to the effect that prison life has touched a tender chord in the man. In the letter he says: "I would like to be released, and I will tell you why; if I get out now I can go to work on the road, as they are in need of brakemen at present, and may not be when my time is up and as railroading (not running blind tigers) is my occupation. I am fully punished for what I have done, and it has accomplished my reformation, and I swear before God and man that I will never touch a drop of any intoxicating beverage whatever, (much less sell it.)"

Rev. W. F. Paris preached to a large congregation at Greenridge church Sunday. His text was: "And they went out and preached that men should repent." Greenridge is one church that has no connection with any Synod, Conference or Association. It formerly belonged to the original Little River Association of the Primitive Baptist church, but in 1869 it was separated from that association, and the dissolution was brought about by a difference in some point of the faith. Since that time it has been an independent church. For many years Rev. Paul H. Walker was the pastor, since his death Revs. W. F. and J. L. Paris have separately and jointly preached the Word to the flock. Among its membership are some of the most prosperous people of the county; and for honesty and integrity, as well as simplicity, the flock so long cared for by "Uncle Paul," as the old preacher was familiarly called, has no superiors in the county. In some respects they are a peculiar people for this day and time. They do not engage in any mercantile pursuits; they are farmers and good ones; too; it is a very infrequent occurrence for them to go outside of their own people for a husband or wife, but they are not selfish; if you go to one of their frugal homes, you are treated as hospitably as at any Kentucky home. Their word is as good as their bond, and their bond as good as gold; a few years ago there was not a prohibitionist among them, yet they are as temperate, as the most enthusiastic local optionist in the county. They ask no honors, nor do they seek any preferments. You never hear of one of them running for office, yet, they are always on hand when any voting is to be done, and the longer the day, the deeper the Democratic ticket is snowed under in that precinct.

Infant Baptism. Rev. M. H. Miley will preach on Infant Baptism at his church in Marion Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Deaths.

John Sliger, son of Mr. J. W. Sliger who lives a few miles north of Crittenden Springs, died Thursday night of pneumonia.

Mr. Lawson R. Hughes, whose serious illness was mentioned a few weeks ago, died at his home near Mattoon yesterday morning at 6 o'clock. He had been afflicted with dropsy a long time, and that disease finally occasioned his death.

He was one of the oldest and best families of the county and was a good, substantial useful citizen. He will be long and kindly remembered by many relatives and friends.

On the 14th, Mrs. Elendor Woodall died at the residence of her son, Mr. A. Woodall, of this county. She was a pioneer citizen of this county. She was born in Virginia, October, 1802; her maiden name was Debo; after marriage with James S. Woodall, they moved to this country in 1833, nine years before Crittenden county was organized. After living here a year they moved to Illinois, where they resided eight years, and then returned to this county. Her husband died in 1842. She reared a family of eight children, five of whom survive her; at the time of her death she had seventy-three grand children. She was an excellent old lady; ripe for the reaper she was ready to go.

"Of no distemper, of no blast she died, But fell like autumn fruit mellowed long, Fate seem'd to wind her up for fuorescence years. Yet freshly ran she on ten winters more, Till like a clock worn out with eating time, The wheels or weary life at last stood still."

Selling Liquor.

Another Crittenden county man is in the toils for selling liquor without paying the government the tax. This time it is Gus Armstrong, a colored man, and he is accused of plying the trade in Marion. The warrant charges him of "the offense of carrying on the business of a retail liquor dealer without paying the special tax required by law." U. S. Deputy Marshal Cosbey left with his man for Paducah Tuesday. If proven guilty Armstrong will probably be fined \$100, and being unable to pay it will be sent to jail; and at the end of ninety days, if he swears that he is not worth \$20, he will be discharged.

Another.—When marshal Cosbey was here he had a warrant charging Geo. Fortman, col, with the same offense, and on yesterday city marshal Wilborn landed Fortman at the Paducah haven of Federal justice.

Suits Filed.

Johnson & Co., a Louisville firm, has filed suit against Jones & Goldworthy, the men who undertook to run a blind tiger in Marion, to collect an account of \$160.65, with a credit of \$50. The claim is evidently for the goods the lawyers got for defending Jones and Goldworthy.

John Flannery has filed suit against Chas. W. Baldwin on a due bill of \$122, for lumber.

Ella George has filed suit against T. M. George, her divorced husband, for the collection of a promissory note for \$100.

Mrs. E. C. Haynes, and her two children, Harry F. and Lucy C., filed suit against the Grand Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen for the collection of a \$2,000 life insurance policy. The petition sets forth that the husband and father, S. C. Haynes, was a member of the order and in good standing at the time of his death, and that the order issued to him the insurance policy, and have refused to pay same.

P. K. Cooksey has filed suit against W. H. Tisdale and T. M. Butler to collect a note of \$179.13. The note is secured by a mortgage on a crop of tobacco.

Another damage suit has been filed. John Smith, alias Frank Smith sues John N. Clark for \$20,000 damage. Smith was arrested upon the charge of breaking into A. Dewey & Co's. mill; the warrant being issued at the instance of the defendant. He was arrested Sunday, and failing to give bond, was put in jail until Monday, when he was called up for examination. The evidence not being sufficient to hold him, the court dismissed the case. Yesterday the suit was filed. In the petition the plaintiff says by reason of the arrest and imprisonment he was subject to great mental anxiety and distress, was greatly humiliated, and suffered in his feeling, reputation and standing, and therefore he prays the court for judgement against the defendant for \$20,000.

One Simmons Discharged.

One Simmons, who was arrested and taken to Paducah last week by Deputy United States Marshal Cosbey, for violating the revenue law, was discharged. The witnesses were Hodge Murphy and Doc Station; but one sale could be proved and Judge Barr will not convict unless more than one sale is made, holding that it is possible for one sale to be made without any intention of fraud.

John Crow Again.

Monday John Armstrong, a colored hand on the O. V. work train, went before Judge Moore and had a warrant issued charging John Crow and Henry Garrett with stealing his \$40 watch. Crow is in Henderson, and if found will be before the court again. This time the charge is more serious than ever. If proved, John will probably change his citizenship from Marion to Edgelyville.

A Crittenden County Jury.

Of the men summoned to Morganfield for the jury in the Thomas case, ten were retained as jurors. They are T. J. Daniel, W. A. Letzinger, G. E. Boston, W. E. Potter, Dave Moore, W. M. Freeman, Frank Wheeler, P. C. Stephens, Fenton Griffith and J. G. Gilbert.

THEY MEAN BUSINESS.

The Local Board of Health Going To War on Filth.

Yesterday the Local Board of Health, Drs. W. J. Deboe, J. R. Clark and J. C. Elder, jr., held a meeting in Dr. Clark's office, to discuss the sanitary condition of the town and county. Matters were discussed at length, and the unanimous opinion of the doctors was, that, unless the people clean up their premises and keep them clean, we stand a mighty good chance to have cholera if it reaches this country, and even if that plague does not come, other diseases engendered by filth will be prevalent. "We are going to do our duty," said the Board to the Press, "and if the people fail to obey orders, we are going to try the law. We will give notice to clean up; if the notices are not obeyed, we are going to have warrants issued for the arrest of those who fail. We mean business, and unless each citizen comes square to the line, we will enforce the law and that means an arrest and a fine. The people think too little about these things, and we will wake them up by having them before the courts. Citizens who have no more respect for the health of their neighbors than to allow filth to accumulate about them ought to be run out of the community, and we are going to make it mighty hot for them this spring. Talk and notices have played out, now we propose to enforce the law, and you may say so to the people of Crittenden county, and especially to those living in towns."

Those Supervisors.

The work of the Board of Supervisors last week has occasioned considerable talk and there has been some caustic criticism of their work. In justice to them, we will publish the oath they take upon entering the discharge of their duties. Here it is: "You swear that you will, to the best of your ability, discharge the duties required of you, as supervisor of tax, and that, in each instance where the property has not been assessed at its fair cash value, estimated at the price it would bring at a fair voluntary sale you will increase or decrease the value, and fix the value at what you believe the property would bring at a fair voluntary sale."

After the first general supervision the board shall notify all taxpayers whose list have been increased by the board, and also notify them of the time to which the board adjourned. The board, in reassembling, shall hear all complaints, and pass finally upon the assessments of all taxpayers, and from such action there shall be no appeal. The board may summon and swear witnesses, and require them to testify. Any person who shall willfully fail to obey the summons of the board, or shall refuse to testify before it when required, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and, on conviction be fined not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense. The adjourned meeting of the board will be held next Monday, and may continue in session as long as necessary.

Died in the Asylum.

Saturday a telegram from the Superintendent of the Western Kentucky Lunatic Asylum at Hopkinsville, announced the death of James Champion, who was sent from this place a few weeks ago. The deceased was a well known citizen of Hurricane precinct, and was at one time constable of that precinct. The remains were brought to this county for burial.

THIRTEEN.

Robt. Paris, of Lola, was in town Saturday.

Mr. H. F. Ray returned from Ohio Saturday.

Joe Bell, of DeKoven, was in town Monday.

Mr. Benj. Rutherford, of Paducah; is in town.

Geo. Thomas has moved to Paducah from Iron Hill.

Mr. C. C. Dean, of Iron Hill, is very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. M. M. Adamson, of Sturgis, was in town Saturday.

Mr. J. D. Wynns, of Providence, was in town Sunday.

E. T. Franks, of Owensboro, spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. W. E. Minner, of Blackburn, was in town Monday.

Miss Alma LaRue, of Salem, is the guest of the Misses Hurley.

W. M. Reed and W. A. Skinner, of Paducah, were in town Thursday.

Messrs. W. F. McMurray and Easley, of Fredonia, spent Sunday in Marion.

Mr. Doc Grassham, the jolly blacksmith of Salem, was in Marion yesterday.

Messrs. P. K. Cooksey and Frank Dycus, of Dycusburg, were in town Tuesday.

Mr. R. H. Woods, of Livingston county, spent several days in Marion last week.

Mrs. J. M. Roney and daughter, Miss Maude, of Salem, are the guests of Mrs. Mary Barnes.

Sam Paris who has a mail clerkship on the railroad between Paducah and Memphis, was in town Monday. He is making a tip-top clerk.

Messrs. H. H. Loving and O. M. James returned from Washington city the first of the week. They were delighted with their trip, and returned full of party enthusiasm. They shook hands with Grover, and saw baby Ruth and Mrs. Cleveland.

Marriage Licenses.

Willis Marlin to Nellie A. East.

Concealed Weapons.

Last week Sheriff Franks placed Jos Herrington under a \$50 bond to answer at Circuit Court charged with carrying a concealed weapon. He was indicted by the grand jury.

County Court.

Upon motion of L. H. Paris it was ordered that J. B. Kevil, J. J. Hughes and John A. Hunt be appointed viewers to report upon change in public road, known as the Wheeler road; said change to begin at the top of the hill near the Wilson house, thence north to Walker & Baldwin's land, thence west to intersect Depot street. John W. Travis granted change in public road.

W. J. Hodges granted change in public road.

Upon motion of Wm. Man and David Vaughn were granted a private road.

E. Y. Price and Silas Phelps appointed road supervisors.

B. M. George granted change in public road.

L. C. Terry

NEGROES REFUSE TO BE EVICTED.

Attempt To Regain Land May Cause Bloodshed In North Carolina.

Raleigh, N. C., March 9. (Special)—Great excitement prevails at James City, a negro village of several thousand inhabitants near Newberne, in Craven county, growing out of an attempt by the owner of the land to have the negroes evicted. Bloodshed is expected. In 1863 a man calling himself "Gen. James" and purporting to be a Federal General removed a number of negro families from near Newberne to the Point, now James City, which is across Trent river from Newberne.

"James" told them the land belonged to the Government. They put up rude cabins and made themselves thoroughly at home, believing they had been given the land by the United States Government. Other negroes entered the place and a large settlement gathered.

The truth is, however, that "James" was no General and had no authority to give the land away. Peace reigned and the negroes became content with their new homes. They named the village after their benefactor, James City. They drew up a system of government, elected Aldermen and policemen and the population increased rapidly.

About ten years ago James A. Bryan, of Newberne, undertook to regain the land, which was and is now his rightful legal property. James City fought the case through several courts and finally the Supreme Court decided beyond all dispute that the land on which James City is built is the legal property of Bryan. Mr. Bryan attempted to come to a peaceful settlement with his tenants, but without success; he offered to allow every old man and woman and every decrepit and feeble person in the village to remain, unmolested and free from rent. But this did not suit the people. He issued circulars after circulars, ordering peaceful terms until there was but one thing left to do, evict the tenants. Mr. Bryan wished to do this as peacefully as possible, and a test case was made yesterday. Hundreds of negroes gathered, and the situation became so threatening that the Sheriff withdrew. The wildest excitement prevails, and it is said the negroes threaten to attack the city of Newberne. It is reported to-night that the Governor will be called upon to order out the State troops.

A BIG FIRE.

Boston Has an Immense Blaze.

Boston, Mass., March 10.—One of the most destructive fires in the history of Boston, next in magnitude to the famous one of Thanksgiving Day, 1888, and in the same district, broke out shortly after 4 o'clock this afternoon, and before it was placed under control, three hours later, had burned over more than a square, had reduced to ashes several of the magnificent new buildings recently completed on territory burned over three and a half years ago, had consumed property valued by a conservative estimate at \$4,500,000, had been attended by scenes of panic and distress never before equaled in the memory of citizens now living, and had destroyed several perhaps many human lives, and mangled or maimed at least thirty persons some of whom will die of their injuries.

HAROLD.

Married to W. R. Panley, Miss Laura Beard at the residence of the bride's father at 8 o'clock p. m. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. D. P. Campbell who knows how to sympathize with those whose nerves are easily agitated. The ceremony was short but impressive. Mr. Panley is a young man of good habit coupled with industry, and we shall expect to see him ascending the ladder of moral worth as he is ambitious to excel. He has unquestionably a noble and kind hearted companion to encourage him in his life's journey.

Chas. Loney was born at Rockport, Ky., Aug. 7th, 1871, and was married to Miss Josie Woodall, May 7th, 1890. He professed faith in Christ in October, 1891, at Sulphur Springs church, and departed this life, Feb. 19th, 1893, and was laid to rest in Piney Fork cemetery Feb. 20th, 1893.

LOLA.

J. D. Foley made a business trip to Evansville last week.

Joe Johnson went to Paducah last Wednesday to look after some goods. John Foley of Sheridan will come to our town to act as assistant post master, under J. W. Bradshaw.

Paris Bros will do the pipe fitting for a pump for Clemens, Licken & Co., at Carversville next week.

Miss Little Hall is visiting her aunt Mrs. Fred Johnson of this place.

Mr. — James an insurance agent of Sturgis was in our village this week.

Dr. M. O. Milton made us a lecture at the school house last Thursday night.

KENTUCKY ON THE STRIP.

Thousands From This State Said to Be Ready to Stake Claims on the Cherokee Outlet.

St. Louis, March 9.—There passed through here to-day a party of some fifty Kentucky families bound for Oklahoma to take their chances in staking a claim in the Cherokee strip as soon as it is opened. Their leaders said 5,000 Kentuckians have prepared to enter the grand rush at the opening and that there were already whole villages formed by campers on the Kansas and Oklahoma borders.

Convict Kills Another.

Jim Dudley a negro sent up on 10 years sentence from Lexington was killed by Bill Smith, alias Snake City, another convict, in the penitentiary here Wednesday evening. They had some trouble the day before. Smith stabbed Dudley to the heart with a shoe knife. It was a case of self-defense. Dudley is the negro convict who gave the prison managers so much trouble four or five years ago. At that time he became so enraged that he defied all the guards and the warden and finally had to be overpowered with chloroform into submission. Smith was sent up from Paducah.—Fiddlyville Tale.

The Spotted Fever.

There are no cases of spotted fever in town at present, nor has there been a new case in over a week. In the west part of the county there are no new cases and those that have been sick are all improving, but it is not so well in the Olive country. There are several new cases over there and some of the old ones it is thought will not recover. There have been over 50 cases there in a radius of six square miles, 21 of which died and the people in that locality are yet very much excited and uneasy about its further spread.

Since our last report there have been two deaths in town, two near Seale, two below Calvert City and five about Olive. J. C. Rudd is not expected to live, is the information we received to-day.—Benton Tribune.

QUESTIONS IN PHYSIOLOGY.

What is the digestive apparatus? What three systems compose the motor apparatus? What is the osseous system? What is a bone? What is the skeleton? What is a natural skeleton? An artificial skeleton? What is the weight of the human skeleton? What is the number of bones in a skeleton? Describe the four uses of the bones. Give the composition of bones. What proportion? Mention the different parts in the structure of a bone. What is the periosteum? What is the use of the periosteum? What diseases have their seat in it? What are Haversian canals? Why so called? How does the blood circulate through the bones? What are lacunae? What are canaliculi. What are granules? Why are some bones hollow? With what are hollow bones filled? What is marrow? What is its use? What is cartilage? How may the animal matter be removed from the bones? The mineral? What is bone-black? How is phosphorus obtained? How can you tie a bone in a knot? Into what four classes are bones divided in regard to their shape? Where are the long bones found? Short bones? Flat bones? Mention some irregular bones. What is ossification? What is the only bone completely ossified at birth? Why does the number of bones vary at different ages? What are sesamoid bones? Which is the largest sesamoid bone? What are Wormian bones? Into what three divisions are the bones of the skeleton divided? Into what classes are the bones of head divided? How many bones in the skull? Mention them. How many of the face? Mention them. How many bones has the ear? Mention them. Why are they so called? What is the ear called? Describe the structure of the skull bones. What is a suture? What is the object of the skull. Which bone of the head is movable. How are the bones of the trunk divided? How many cavities does the trunk contain? How many bones in the spinal column? What are they called? Into what three classes are the vertebra divided? How many cervical vertebra? How many lumbar vertebra? How many lumbal vertebra?

NOTICE.

My men are now riding to collect the taxes due me. They have instructions to collect or levy as they go. To save myself I am bound to do this, and there will be no exceptions from this rule. I must have the money, and all those indebted must govern themselves accordingly. I mean this and nothing less. A. L. Cruce.

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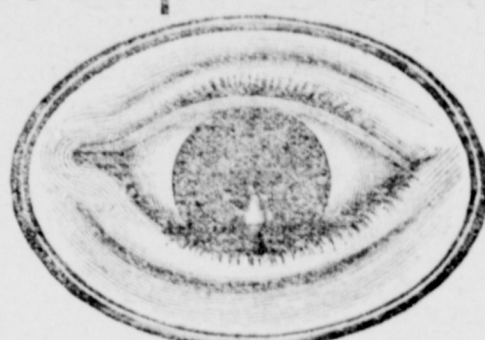
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